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INVENTION:

METHOD FOR REMOTE CONTROL CONVERSION

OF AT LEAST ONE APPLIANCE IN A LOCAL AREA

**NETWORK** 

15 Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified International Application before entry into the National stage before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under 35 U.S.C. §371 as follows:

## In the Specification:

Please replace the Specification of the present application, including the Abstract, with the following Substitute Specification: